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DEPT PLEASE PASS TO L. NAHAI, BUREAU OF MINES, COLOMBIA PLAZA FOR CHIN.

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EMIN, OTRA, JA

SUBJECT: VISIT TO JAPAN BY EDMOND CHIN, BUREAU OF

MINES, DEPT OF INTERIOR

REF: CHIN-NOONAN/SHOUP CORRESPONDENCE

- 1. EMBASSY RECOMMENDS THAT CHIN PLAN TO ARRIVE SUNDAY. FRIDAY SEPT 15 IS A JAPANESE HOLIDAY WHEN IT WOULD BE DIFFICULT TO SCHEDULE APPOINTMENTS. ARRIVAL ON MONDAY WOULD PERMIT ONLY A THREE DAY SCHEDULE.
- 2. WE HAVE MADE APPOINTMENTS WITH THE JAPAN GEOLOGICAL SURVEY ON TUESDAY, AND PLAN TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS WITH MITI MINING BUREAU AND MINING ASSOCIATION FOR WEDNESDAY, WITHKIMITSU VISIT ON THURSDAY. BOTH ANNAKA AND HITACHI MINES ARE CLOSED.
- 3. JAPANESE VISA IS REQUIRED. WE ARE MAKING RESERVATION AT OKURA HOTEL FORNIGHTS OF SUNDAY SEPT 10 THROUGH SATURDAY SEPT 16. PLEASE ADVISE IF OTHER ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE.

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4. TRAFFIC CONDITIONS AND DISTANCE FROM THE AIRPORT MAKE IT IMPRACTICAL FOR THE EMBASSY TO MEET OR PROVIDE OFFICIAL TRANSPORTATION TO THE CITY. TO EXPEDITE CIQ, TRAVELERS WITH DIPLOMATIC OR OFFICIAL PASSPORTS SHOULD USE DIPLOMATIC AND CREW IMMIGRATION/CUSTOMS COUNTERS ALONG SIDE WALL OFARRIVAL LOUNGE. CURRENCY EXCHANGE FACILITIES ARE LOCATED BETWEEN CUSTOMS

CLEARANCE COUNTERS AND EXIT FROM CUSTOMS HALL INTO MAIN LOBBY. PORTERS CHARGE 200 YEN PER BAG. (TAXI FARES TO TOKYO-DOWNTOWN LOCATIONS-RANGE FROM \$55-70.) ARRANGE-MENTS FORAIRPORT LIMOSINE BUSES MAY BE MADE AT BUS SERVICE COUNTERS AT THE ARRIVAL LOBBY JUST BEFORE FINAL EXIT FROM ARRIVAL TERMINAL. AIRPORT BUSES LEAVE TERMINAL FREQUENTLY FORTCAT (TOKYO CITY AIRTERMINAL) AND COST 1900 YEN INCLUDING LUGGAGE NOT TO EXCEED TWO PIECES. UPON ARRIVAL AT TCAT, TRAVELERS CAN TAKE TAXI TO HOEL. EMBASSY PHONE IS 583-7141. NOONAN EXTENSION IS 7307 (OFFICE) AND 6433 (HOME). MANSFIELD

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